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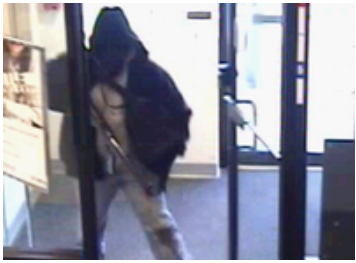
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"Christmas Eve Bandit"

Taunton, Massachusetts

December 24, 2014

UNKNOWN BANK ROBBER



DESCRIPTION

Height: Unknown

Sex: Male

Remarks: The suspect wore a black mask, blue jeans, black jacket, gray sweatshirt, black boots and black gloves.

Vehicle Information: The suspect fled the scene on foot.

Weapon Used: The individual was armed with an assault rifle with a banana clip capable of shooting a 7.62 millimeter round, possibly an AK-47.

Weight: Unknown

Age: Unknown

CAUTION

The suspect entered First Citizens Federal Credit Union located at 280 Winthrop Street in Taunton, Massachusetts. He stated "Merry Christmas" followed by an obscenity and then ordered the tellers to empty their cash drawers and fill a black duffle bag with money. The individual was armed with an assault rifle with a banana clip capable of shooting a 7.62 millimeter round, possibly an AK-47. During the robbery, the suspect pointed the rifle in the direction of the bank employees as they complied with his demand. One bank employee in the area of the drive-up teller window moved causing the suspect to fire a round into the wall.

REWARD

The FBI is offering a monetary reward of up to \$10,000 for information leading to the identification, arrest and prosecution of the person responsible for this robbery.

SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS

Anyone with information should call the FBI's Bank Robbery Task Force at 1-617-742-5533 or the Taunton Police Department at 1-508-821-1475. Tips can also be submitted electronically at tips.fbi.gov.

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